

Government Payments ^{1/}

Type of Payments	2006	2007
---1,000 Dollars ---		
Direct Payments ^{2/}	15,553	15,453
Counter-Cyclical Payments ^{2/}	17,376	8,843
Loan Deficiency Payments	3,250	283
Marketing Loan Gains	318	440
Commodity Certificate Exchange Gains	881	638
Peanut Quota Buyout Payments ^{3/}	342	0
Milk Income Loss Payments ^{3/}	4,075	548
Conservation Payments ^{4/}	37,982	38,282
Ad Hoc and Emergency Programs ^{5/}	2,848	2,469
Miscellaneous Programs ^{6/}	-17	-1
GRAND TOTAL	82,608	66,956

^{1/} Amounts include cash payments made directly to farmers, not including Farmer-owned Reserve Payments as these data are not available by state. Amounts also include certificate exchange gains and marketing loan gains.

^{2/} Direct Payments and Counter-Cyclical Payments are authorized by the Farm Security and Rural Investment Act of 2002 for 2002 through 2007 crops. The act also increases the number of crops authorized to receive payments.

^{3/} Programs authorized by the Farm Security and Rural Investment Act of 2002.

^{4/} Conservation programs include Agricultural Conservation Program, Agricultural Management Assistance Program--NRCS, Auto Agricultural Conservation Program--Environment Long Term, Auto Conservation Reserve Program--Cost Shares, Auto Environment Quality Incentives Program, Auto LTA Conservation Program--Long Term, Conservation Reserve Program--Annual Rental, Conservation Reserve Program--Cost Share, Conservation Reserve Program--Incentives, Conservation Security Program, Environment Quality Incentives Program (EQIP)--NRCS, EQIP--Ground Surface Water Conservation--NRCS, Farmland Protection Program--NRCS, Forestry Incentives Program--NRCS, Grasslands Reserve Program--NRCS, Soil and Water Conservation Assistance Program, Tree Assistance Program, Wetlands Reserve Program--NRCS, and Wildlife Habitat Incentive Program--NRCS.

^{5/} Ad Hoc and Emergency Programs include all programs providing disaster and emergency assistance payments to growers. Programs include Apple Market Loss Assistance Payments, Crop Disaster Program, Crop Loss Disaster Assistance Program, Dairy Indemnity Program, Dairy Market Loss Assistance Program, Disaster Program, Emergency Conservation Program, Lamb Meat Adjustment Assistance Program, Livestock Assistance Program, Livestock Compensation Program, Livestock Emergency Assistance Program, Market Loss Assistance Program, Noninsured Assistance Program, Oilseed Payment Program--Supplemental, Quality Losses Program, Trade Adjustment Assistance Program, Tree Assistance Program, and TRI Valley Growers Program.

^{6/} Miscellaneous programs include Acreage Grazing Payments, Additional Interest Payments, American Indian Livestock Feed Program, American Indian Livestock Feed Program--Apportioned, DCC--Fruit and Vegetable Violations, DCC--Late Filing Fees, DCC--Payment Limitation Overpayment, Feed Grain Deficiency Program, Hard White Winter Wheat Program, Interest Payments, and Payment Limitation Refund.

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